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Application No. : 09/334,671
Applicant : ROUGEOT et al.
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Title: : INDIRECT X-RAY IMAGE DETECTOR FOR RADIOLOGY
Examiner: : Shun Lee
Art Unit : 2878

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO THE FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated September 5, 2003, the applicants, first of all, wish to thank the Examiner, Mr. Shun Lee, for the telephone conference of October 9, 2003 during which the differences between the novel concept of the present invention and the prior art were discussed. As agreed with the Examiner, the applicants now present their **Remarks/Arguments** which begin on page 2 of this paper.